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TITLE OF INVENTION: INJECTION MOLDING NOZZLE												
		ANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US: Herbert GUNTHER and Johannes Petrus VAN LIESHOUT										
Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:												
1.		This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. (THE BASIC FILING FEE IS ATTACHED)										
2,	\boxtimes	This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.										
3.		This express request to begin national examination procedures [35 U.S.C. 371(f)] at any time rather than delay examination until the expiration of the applicable time limit set in 35 U.S.C. 371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39(1).										
4.		The US has been elected (Article 31).										
5.		A copy of the International Application as filed [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)] a. is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). b. has been transmitted by the International Bureau. c. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).										
6.	⊠	An English language translation of the International Application as filed [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)]. a. ⊠ is attached hereto. b. □ has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).										
7.		Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)] a. are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). b. have been transmitted by the International Bureau. c. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. d. have not been made and will not be made.										
8.	Ò	An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)].										
9.	\boxtimes	An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)]. (2 documents)										
10.		An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)].										
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11.	\boxtimes	An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. 1.97 and 1.98.										
12.		An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 3.28 and 3.31 is included.										
13.		A FIRST preliminary amendment. A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.										
14.		An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.										
15.		A substitute specification.										
16.	\boxtimes	A power of attorney and/or change of address letter. (2 documents)										
17.		A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 35 U.S.C. 1.821 - 1.825.										
18.		A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).										
19.		A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).										
20.	\boxtimes	Other items or information: COPY OF NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS										

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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated Office (37 CFR 1.494):

- · Indication of Small Entity Status
- Priority Document
- Copy of the International Application filed on 02/10/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 02/10/2006
- Oath or Declaration filed on 02/10/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 02/10/2006
- Non-English Language Application filed on 02/10/2006

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- · Additional claim fees of \$175 as a small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.
- Translation of the application into English. Note a processing fee will be required if submitted later than 30 months from the priority date.
- Processing fee of \$130 for providing the translation of the application and/or the Annexes later than 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(i)).
- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
 - is not executed in accordance with either 37 CFR 1.66 or 37 CFR 1.68.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$370 for a Small Entity:

- \$65 Surcharge.
- \$130 for English translation surcharge required.

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Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$175 • \$175 for 7 total claims over 20.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

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